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Mason Neck West Park Grows Through Donation

Fairfax County Park Authority holdings continue to expand adding further acreage to the 23,310 acres already owned by the agency. Roughly 2.4 acres of land were recently donated to Mason Neck West Park on Old Colchester Road in Lorton by members of the Frink family.

With the acquisition this summer, that park's total site area grew to 48.5 acres. The new acreage is not developable due to its location with a floodplain and the associated Resource Protection Area. The property expands on habitat connectivity and may be a potential location of resource stewardship activities in the future.

A recent Needs Assessment Survey found that residents in Fairfax County continue to consider the protection of open space and land acquisition efforts in the community to be of utmost importance.

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